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In re application of

Olivier BESNARD et al. Conf. 5725

Application No. 10/551,771 Group 1654

Filed March 7, 2006 Examiner Hugh P. Young

OLIGOPEPTIDES, COMPOSITION AND USE THEREOF AS ELICITORS OF THE
NATURAL DEFENSES OF PLANTS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 5, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed March 5, 2007, in response to the amendment filed December 14, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached which follows the signature page of this paper.